

## HOW NOVELIST AIDED HEATHEN

(New York Sun.)  
A missionary bishop told at a dinner in New York a story about F. Marion Crawford, the famous novelist.  
"Mr. Crawford went to school," he said, "in Concord and one day he was taken to call at a Concord clergyman's."  
"The clergyman had a missionary box

on his drawing-room table, and, time hanging heavily on the boy's hands, he amused himself with trying whether a silver dollar—it was all the money he had in the world, and he had converted it into that gigantic coin for safety—would go into the slot in the box's top.  
"It was a close fit, but unfortunately it did go, and the coin slipped out of the missionary author's fingers. There was a terrible crash of silver falling among

coppers—and then the boy, as the novelists say, 'knew no more.'  
"When he came to himself he found the clergyman and his family in raptures over his generosity."

## SURPRISES OF HOTEL KEEPING.

(New York Sun.)  
Mrs. McNulty, the new proprietor of the Saranac, formerly the Rosemore,

formerly the Metropole, was standing in his bar at midnight, talking to Mr. Montgomery, the actor, when a negro bell boy rushed up and whispered in his ear.  
"What?" exclaimed the hotel keeper, in evident astonishment.  
The boy repeated his message.  
"Look-a-here!" exclaimed Mr. McNulty. "You go and tell him that there hasn't been such a thing in this house since it was first opened."

"What did he want?" asked the actor. "He said that No. 10 wanted to borrow a Bible. The guy must think that he is staying in the Grand Union."

## THE LIMIT.

(Baltimore American.)  
"In understanding Mrs. Crocker is a great one for asking the loan of things."  
"Indeed she is. I believe if she had

nothing else to ask for she would actually try to borrow trouble."

## AN EVERYDAY OCCURRENCE.

(Baltimore American.)  
"The clearing in court of that receiver of stolen goods was a homely sort of triumph for the lawyer."  
"In what way?"  
"It was a whitewashing of the fence."

## HOW MEAN IS GRAMMAR.

(Judge.)  
"Mother, can I have another slice of pie?"  
"Yes, dear; you can."  
"Well, may I?"  
"No, dear; you may not."  
"Mother, ain't grammar an awful mean thing?"

# A Linen Bargain Event Which Has No Equal!

A Linen Bargain Distribution of Unrivalled Magnitude! A Linen Bargain Opportunity Which None Can Afford to Let Pass! A Linen Bargain Wonder Which Will Be the Talk of the Town! The

## Big Sale of Household Linens

It is the Greatest Money-Saving Sale of READY-MADE SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

All these staples will be retailed in this sale AT MILL COST OR LESS!  
With the high price of cotton, these prices cannot be duplicated for one year at least. So don't fail to take advantage of these low prices.

**200 Dozen Hemmed Bleached Pillow Cases**  
Ready for use, size 42x36 and 45x36, regular price 15c and 16 2-3c. In this Big Cut Price Sale at, each—

**10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c 12c**

**Hemmed and Hemstitched Pillow Cases!**  
42 and 45-inch size, regularly sold at 20c. All go in this sale at, each—

**14c**

**100 Single Bed Size Hemmed Bleached Sheets!**  
24 yards long, value 75c. In this Cut Price Sale, each—

**49c**

**1000 BED SHEETS!**  
All nicely hemmed—all 2 1/2 yards long and either 2 or 2 1/2 yards in width, all worth 80c. In this Sale, each—

**57c**

**2000 Yards Bleached Cotton Toweling!**  
Twilled, Herringbone and Huck Weave, value 65c. In this Cut Price Sale, a yard—

**4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c**

### THE ONE PRICE

Shows at a glance how important the offerings of NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS for the week are.

**STYLISH SUITINGS**  
20 pieces 45 to 60-inch latest style Suitings, new effects in assorted Checks, Plaids, Stripes, etc. Come in Black and White, Gray, Blue, Tan and Mixed Colors. Regular value \$1.00 to \$1.85.

**SPECIAL \$1.29**

**BEGINS TOMORROW (MONDAY MORNING) AT 8 O'CLOCK!**

Our Entire New Stock of the Finest and Newest Table Linens, Table Sets, Table Cloths, Napkins, Towels and Towelings, Bed Sheetings, Sheets and Pillow Cases

Priced so that for the woman needing Household Linens it means a saving of money never before heard of—never even hoped for. It opens tomorrow—another masterly purchase and another crowd-commanding sale—and in this sale the very finest grades of Scotch, German and Irish Linens are involved. Qualities that are renowned for beauty of finish, purity of flax and superiority of weave and finish, and even in the face of a rising market we offer the finest Linens in greater varieties at lower prices than ever before. It's a sale unequalled in its immensity, incomparable in its values, stupendous in its grandeur. If you need Linens now, in one month or in six or twelve months, it will pay you to lay in a supply. The prices are 40 and 50 per cent below the market today. Neither the firm nor the department look for profit in this sale. Volume of sales is the object in view this week.

### Towels

Towel Bargains that will bring a stampede of buyers. The price cheapness of these Towels is the most attractive point in this sale, and that's where the prudent housekeeper and the hotel man is very much concerned. 300 dozen Towels, hemmed or fringed, that were 64c, go in this sale at, each—

**24c**

200 Hemmed Huck Towels, regular 75c go in this sale at, each—

**4c**

All 51-3c Turkish Bath Towels, bleached and unbleached, go in this sale, each—

**5 1/2c**

The best 16c Turkish Bath Towels, in this sale, each—

**7c**

600 dozen of all kinds of Towels, bleached and unbleached Turkish, hemmed Huck and knotted fringed Damask Towels, none better for rooming houses, worth 50c, go in this sale, each—

**9 1/2c**

8 cases of Double Napped Turkish Bath Towels, bleached and unbleached, hemmed Huck Towels, size 18x36, all worth 30c, in this sale, each—

**12c**

Hundreds of dozen of Knotted Fringed Damask Towels and Turkish Bath Towels, both bleached and unbleached, hemmed Huck Towels, regular price 25c, on sale at, each—

**14c**

All 35c Turkish Bath Towels, all 35c Damask Towels, all 35c hemmed Huck Towels, all big sizes, 16 2/3c, on sale at, each—

**16 2/3c**

Hemstitched Huck Towels and Turkish Bath Towels, regular 17 1/2c, go at, each—

**17 1/2c**

4 lots of Towels, including Turkish, Damask and Huck Towels, extra large sizes, that others call cheap at 30c, in this sale, each—

**19c**

All 35c Towels, Damask and Turkish, in this sale, each—

**22c**

All 37 1/2c Towels, on sale at, each—

**26c**

All 45c Towels, on sale at, each—

**32 1/2c**

## ESTABLISHED 1864 F. Auerbach & Co.

ONE PRICE TO ALL NEVER UNDERSOLD IT'S THE MOST MARVELOUS SALE OF FINE TABLE LINENS

EVER HERALDED IN THE WEST, PROFITS ARE ENTIRELY RELINQUISHED ON ALL GRADES FOR THIS SALE. THE WORLD-FAMED MATCHLESS PRODUCTIONS OF RICHARDSON SONS & OWEN, JOHN S. BROWN AND THE FINEST REGENT GERMAN LINENS, SHARE THE SAME FATE AS THE MOST MODERATE GRADES OF DAMASKS. THE ABBREVIATED BARGAIN LIST GIVES BUT A SUGGESTION OF THE MAGNITUDE OF THE EVENT. HERE ARE VALUES AND REDUCTIONS UNPRECEDENTED IN LOCAL RETAILING.

10 BOLT ROYAL BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK, 58 INCHES WIDE, IN THE NEW DESIGNS. A LEADER AT 35c; IN THIS SALE, PER YARD—

**22c**

20 PIECES HEAVY CREAM AND TURKEY RED AND WHITE TABLE DAMASK, 54 TO 60 INCHES WIDE, CHOICE PATTERNS, WORTH 45c; IN THIS SALE, A YARD—

**26c**

15 pieces Half-bleached Dice Checked Table Linen, 58 inches wide and 60 inches wide, Turkey Red Damask, value 65c, go in this sale, per yard—

**39c**

1,000 yards Pure Flax German Table Linen, satin finished and sturdy wearing Damask, in clover, fleur de lis and tulip designs, 60 inches wide, and heavy cream Drill Loom Dice Table Damasks, 62 inches wide—the very best article for restaurant use—all worth 75c, go in this sale, per yard—

**48c**

20 pieces Full Bleached Irish Table Linen, 62 inches wide—in fleur de lis, Ivy Leaf and Rose designs. Imported Turkey Red Damasks and 66-inch wide Heavy Dice Damasks, all go in this sale, per yard—

**56c**

2 lots of the most substantial Irish and Scotch Table Linen, Full Bleached, 64 inches wide, in Cosma, Tulip, Calla Lily, Polka Dot, Wild Rose and conventional patterns—and Turkey Red Damask—60 inches wide, in dice, dot, tulip and pansy patterns, the usual 95c values, go in this sale, per yard—

**68c**

10 pieces of 2 yards wide Heavy Twill Bleached Irish Table Linen, pure flax—in American Beauty Rose, Tulip and Clover Blossom patterns, imported to sell at \$1.15, reduced in this sale to, per yard—

**74c**

Full Bleached Golden Flax Irish Table Linen, two yards wide—in Clover Leaf, Pansy, Clover, Cosma, Polka Dot and Tulip patterns—Linens 1 1/2c, go in this sale, per yard—

**89c**

Grass Bleached Irish Table Linen—a Satin Damask—in California Poppy and Fleur de Lis patterns, 72 inches wide, regular \$1.35, cut to, per yard—

**96c**

3 size Napkins to match, value \$3.50, go, per dozen—

**\$2.60**

Richardson's \$2.25 Table Linen, the fine silky durable Damasks so much admired by linen exporters—reduced in this sale to, per yard—

**\$1.74**

### Correct Spr'g Models in Tailored Suits & Coats Attractively Priced

The Cloak and Suit Section will prove a mighty interesting place to women who care to know what is to be worn. All styles approved by Fashion's center are shown here. Ask for the style you want, if it's one of the season's latest models, you'll find it in our stock. \$19.75 FOR NEW SPRING SUITS of finest Panama Cloth, in black, blue, brown or pearl gray, double row of silk braid and embroidery trimmed with 3/4 inch velvet, with turn back cuffs; full pleated skirt to match; high priced models at, per set—

**\$19.75**

\$9.50 FOR NEW NOVELTY COATS—Our New York buyer purchased a lot of 25 new 1907 sample Coats from one of the largest New York manufacturers at about 50c on the dollar; they consist of fancy stripes and plaid wool Automobile Coats; also short Pony and Mannish Box Effects, some silk, others satin lined; all reduced to, per set—

**\$9.90**

\$7.50 FOR NEW PANAMA SKIRTS, in brown, blue or black, made very full, with sectional knife pleats all around, tailor stitched to the knees, short and long lengths, worth \$6.00, to be sold Monday at, per set—

**\$3.75**

\$1.45 FOR LINGERIE WAISTS, WORTH \$2.00, \$2.50 AND \$3.00—Delight new spring waists in all the prettiest styles, embroidery or lace fronts in elaborate designs, short or long sleeves, some button in front, others down back, all the latest up-to-date effects, sizes from 22 to 44. This sale is for Monday only at, per set—

**\$1.45**

### NEW BED SPREADS

Will gladden the heart of every housekeeper and hotel man. It's the sale of all years for low prices, and when Auerbach's quote sale prices it means a quick response, for it means prices that'll sell Bed Spreads in a hurry.

White Bed Spreads, Pearl Hemmed, worth \$1.00, 100 of them in this sale, each—

**55c**

125 White Bed Spreads, full sized, go in this sale at, each—

**73c**

All 125 White Bed Spreads, in this sale at, each—

**82c**

200 heavy White Crochet Bed Spreads, for double beds, value \$1.50, in this sale, each—

**98c**

3 lots of 17 1/2 Bed Spreads, white and colored, with cut corners, hemmed or fringed, go in this sale at, each—

**\$1.15**

All 200 Bed Spreads, fringed and hemmed, white and colored, reduced in this sale to, each—

**\$1.32**

3 styles of 22 1/2 Bed Spreads, for double and single beds, crochet and Marcellles, fringed and hemmed, in this sale at, each—

**\$1.48**

Extra heavy full Double Bed size Bed Spreads, in Marcellles patterns, regular \$2.50, marked down to, each—

**\$1.67**

White Marcellles Quilts and fringed White Crochet Spreads, with square or cut corners, for iron beds, regular price \$2.35, go in this sale at, each—

**\$1.89**

32 1/2 white Marcellles Spreads, 32 1/2 knotted fringed White Spreads and 32 1/2 colored Spreads, all in this sale at, each—

**\$2.20**

The best 400 Bed Spreads, Marcellles and crocheted, fringed and hemmed, white and colored, go in this sale at, each—

**\$2.48**

All 450 Bed Spreads, down to, each—

**\$2.98**

All 500 Bed Spreads, on sale at, each—

**\$3.40**

All 600 Bed Spreads, on sale at, each—

**\$4.20**

### Linen Table Cloths, Lunch Cloths and Fine Table Sets

Will attract a great throng of buyers, and the shrewder the shopper the more she will appreciate the savings to be found in this sale. No importer will duplicate these values in the face of a constantly rising linen market.

Hemstitched Damask Lunch Cloths, worth 60c, marked down to, each—

**39c**

All 85c Hemstitched White Damask Lunch Cloths, plain hemstitched, drawn work border and open work center designs, 30x36 in. squares, go in this sale at, each—

**54c**

36-inch square Damask Lunch Cloths, with drawn work borders, reduced from \$1.00, go at each—

**66c**

All 12 1/2 white Damask Lunch Cloths, 30 and 36-inch squares, 4 different styles, in this sale at, each—

**72c**

84 size Breakfast Cloth, a pretty white Damask Cloth with drawn work borders, reduced from \$1.40 to, each—

**88c**

All 150 white Damask Lunch Cloths and Table Cloths, size 30x36, 45x45 and 60x60, go in this sale at, each—

**98c**

All 170 bordered Linen Table Sets, 8x10 and 8x12 sizes, reduced in this sale to, per set—

**\$4.60**

\$10.00 fine German Linen Damask Table Sets, size 8x12, with 20-inch square Napkins, size 18x36, go in this sale at, per set—

**\$6.90**

2 1/2 yds. square White Damask Table Sets, 8x10 and 8x12 size Sets, regular price \$2.00, reduced to, per set—

**\$7.80**

The 1400 Table Sets on sale at, per set—

**\$9.60**

1750 Table Sets, up to, per set—

**\$12.60**

2250 Linen Damask Table Sets, marked down to, per set—

**\$16.40**

2750 Table Sets you'll buy this week, per set—

**\$21.40**

Table Sets worth \$45.00 go in this sale at, each—

**\$32.85**

All Bed Sheetings and Pillow Casing by the yard Go in This Sale BELOW MILL COST

The occasion is important to housekeepers and hotelkeepers because the Sale Prices are below any which can again be offered until there is a radical change in cost at the mills.

**2 1/2 Yards Unbleached Bed Sheetings**  
Regular price 30c. In this sale, per yard—

**22 1/2c**

**Bleached Bed Sheetings**  
2 1/2 yards wide, one of the best known brands, value 32 1/2c. In this Sale, a yard—

**24 1/2c**

**50 Doz. Hemmed Bed Sheets**  
2 1/2 yards long and 2 1/2 yards wide, Our Winner. Regular price 65c, on sale at, each—

**65c**

**Hemstitched and Hemmed Double Bed Size Sheets!**  
A Leader at \$1.00! Go in this sale at, each—

**73c**

**Table Felt or Silence Cloth**  
54 inches wide, value 75c, go in this Big Cut Price Sale, per yard—

**54c**

**20 Pieces Bleached Pillow Casing**  
45-inch width, regular price 20c. In this Sale, per yard—

**14 1/2c**

ABSOLUTELY THE MOST EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS IN

**Fancy Linens, Hemstitched Scarfs and Squares**

Ever offered in any sale—Sale Prices that'll make it an object for you to buy—Impossible to itemize, so we only say—COME!

**All 60c Hemstitched Linen Squares**  
size 30x30 inches. All 60c hemstitched scarfs, size 18x36 and 18x50. All 60c hemstitched tray cloths; go in this sale at, each—

**42c**

**100 Hemstitched White Linen Squares**  
Size 36x36, regular price 90c. In this sale, each—

**59c**

AN IMPORTANT SPECIAL SALE

**Long Washable Chamois Gloves!**

The Ideal glove for Summer Wear, offered for this week's lively selling at never heard-of price reductions.

LADIES' BEST QUALITY FINE LONG CHAMOIS GLOVES, every pair warranted. It's the season's greatest glove novelty and has no equal for style or comfort among summer gloves; in white and natural color, the 8-button length, the popular length for street wear, made to sell at \$2.50 a pair. In this sale—

**\$1.69**

The 16-button length, very elegant and made to sell at \$3.50. Our opening sale price—

**\$2.39**